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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL		Attorney Docket No.	1359.1013		
		Application Number	09/407,307		
		Filing Date	September 29, 1999		
		First Named Inventor	Tadashige IWA0 et al.		
		Group Art Unit	2126		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	1050.00	Examiner Name	Van H. Nguyen		
FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	- 3 =	3	X \$ 200.00 =	600.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of <u>March 1, 2005</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160));					450.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 1050.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 1050.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed as payment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. <input type="checkbox"/> No payment is enclosed.					
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. <u>19-3935</u> Deposit Account Name <u>STAAS & HALSEY LLP</u>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.					
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP					
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In re the Application of:

Tadashige IWAO et al.

Serial No. 09/407,307

Group Art Unit: 2126

Confirmation No. 2590

Filed: September 29, 1999

Examiner: Van H. Nguyen

For: OBJECT COLLABORATION APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on March 1, 2005. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, along with the requisite fee for same, is filed concurrently herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 2, 2005 (with May 1, 2005 being a Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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02 FC:1252 450.00 DA